

GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA  
ABSTRACT

Health, Medical & Family Welfare Department– Vital Statistics- Extending the Scheme of Medical Certification of cause of death (MCCD) to all Medical Institutions of Telangna State – Orders – Issued.

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**HEALTH, MEDICAL & FAMILY WELFARE (D2) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.MS.No. 160**

**Dated: 28-11-2016**

**Read:-**

From the DPH&FW, T.S., Hyderabad, Lr. Rc.No.57/VS-4/DD(VS)/TS/2016, dated.26/10/2016.

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**ORDER:-**

In the circumstances reported by the Director of Public Health & Family Welfar, Telangana State, Hyderabad in the reference read above, has stated that it has been decided to extend the coverage of the MCCD scheme to all Medical institutions. Government, Private and non-profit medical institutions in the new state of Telanga. The Medical practitioners and registrars shall practice the following:

As per the RBD Act, certification of cause of death is the duty of the medical practitioner (both Govt. and private) who attended the deceased during her / his last illness. If the event is an institutional death, he is supposed to fill up the Form No. 4 (MCCD form) and if it is a non institutional death and it is treated by a doctor, then he has to fill up from No. 4A (MCCD form). After filling up the cause of death in Form 4 or 4A the same should be send to the concerned Registrar along with death report Form 2 (under section 10(2) and 10(3).

In case of violent deaths and other medico legal cases usually brought to the notice of a medical examiner at the postmortem stage, the certificate may be filled by the medical examiner on the basis of evidence noticed by him / her.

After the completion of registration process, the register shall detach all the statistical parts of Form.2 (along with Form 4/4A) and a consolidated monthly report in Form No. 11, 12 and 13, need to send to the chief registrar of births and deaths on or before 5<sup>th</sup> succeeding month for further compilation at state level.

Registrars need to identify and maintain the list of institutions and their contact details from where the births and deaths reports are to be received in his Jurisdiction (i.e. Both Govt. and Private). He / She should be in close touch with these institutions to ensure timely and accurate reporting of births and deaths.

2. Government after careful examination of the matter hereby agreed to extend the Scheme of Medical Certification of Cause of Death (MCCD) to all Medical Institutions (Government and Private) in Telangana State which was introduced under the Civil Registration System to generate regular and reliable estimates of cause-specific mortality and the data shall be utilised by healthy trends of population.

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3. The Director of Public Health & Family Welfare, Telangana State, Hyderabad shall take further necessary action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

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// FORWARDED :: BY ORDER //

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